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JAMES J. H. GREGORY'S
RETAIL CATALOGUE OF GARDEN VEGETABLE SEEDS.

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To My PATRONS. With many thanks for previous patronage, I present you with my Circular for 1867. One hundred and twenty-five of the varieties enumerated below are of my own raising; others have been purchased from sources that experience has taught me to be the most reliable. In the purchasing of seed the dealer will occasionally be equally deceived with the planter; but the public may rely upon it, that I shall spare neither trouble nor expense in procuring for them pure, fresh, and reliable seed. As an instance of this, a quantity of seed that I purchased as Long Red Mangold Wurtzel, after the stock of my own growing was exhausted, proved to be a hotch potch of Mangold Wurtzel and other Beet Seed. I have put a black mark against the man that supplied me with that seed. I am happy to say I have a stock of about five hundred pounds this season, of my own growing. Again, I purchased Dilleston's Extra Early Pea, imported from Europe as earlier than the Early Dan O'Rourke, and last Spring I planted a large area of land to them, to procure a good supply for the Spring's sales; but, alas! they proved to be no earlier than the common varieties of Early Dan O'Rourke or the Philadelphia Early Peas; and neither as early, nor dwarf, nor productive as one variety of Dan O'Rourke, of which I shall have more to say farther on. Such varieties as are most liable to be faulty, I shall raise myself, though it may have to be done at a pecuniary loss. All roots, bulbs, &c., intended for seed purposes, are selected with the utmost care, and planted in isolated locations to guard against mixture.

The immense rush of business incident to Spring trade has sometimes thrown me, in common with other seedsmen, behindhand; but this season, I have erected a new Seed House, a large and commodious building in which I can do a larger business with much less friction than heretofore, my accommodations being very ample. I can, therefore, this season, warrant that all orders will be promptly filled, and as a general rule, all orders received after my catalogue is sent out will be filled by return of mail.

Scores of my friends last season forgot to give me the names of the State, or to sign their names to their letters, rendering it impossible for me to respond to them. Please be particular in this matter.

THE POSTAGE LAW. The postage law enables me to send seed to the amount of four pounds or less in one parcel to any part of the United States, across the Plains excepted, by prepaying postage at the rate of two cents for every four ounces and fraction of four ounces. It matters not how many varieties are sent in the package, provided the weight of the entire lot does not exceed four pounds. If a larger lot is wanted it may be divided into lots of four pounds each. This law in effect, brings postage and transportation to every man's door.

MONEY ORDERS. My friends will find the money order system excellent to facilitate and render perfectly safe the transmission of sums of money. The Offices at which they are payable nearest to my residence are Salem and Boston.

Payments of seed may be made in Post Office Money Orders, Cashier's Checks, United States Treasury Notes, in Postal Currency, or in Canada Bills. I sell seed by the package, ounce, pound, quart or bushel. Quotations by the quantity sent when desired. Packages of Corn, Beans, or Peas (those given under the head of novelties excepted) will weigh two ounces each. A quart of Peas or Beans will weigh about two pounds. A quart of Corn one and one-half pounds.

My THREE WARRANTS. I propose this season to warrant, 1st, That my seed shall be what it purports to be, in kind and quality; 2d, That all money sent for seed shall reach me; 3d, That the seed ordered shall reach every one of my customers. Thus I take all the risks of the business upon myself, and make the purchase of seed the *safest investment possible*, instead of being what it has so often proved to farmers and gardeners, very unreliable and very vexing. In attempting thus to revolutionize the business, I am aware that I shall make some losses, but it will be a great satisfaction to me to know that every feeling of doubt is removed from the minds of my customers; and I am so presumptuous as to infer that they will reciprocate in this matter, and feel it to be for their interest to sustain me in this enterprise, and aid me in enlarging my business that I may be able to bear such losses. Please, for this end, distribute my catalogues as widely as possible among your friends, and give me the addresses of any to whom you would like to have them sent, and I will immediately forward them gratis.

All orders, be they large or small, will be faithfully attended to. Sometimes seed packages are broken open on the route from accident or careless handling, at times they are stolen, at times eaten into by mice. I shall always be happy to make all losses good. It happens very often that my customers forget to give their State, and as there are often a dozen States in which are towns of the same name, it is impossible to reach them. I have had instances of persons writing five times for their seed, letters which expressed much disappointment and feeling because they conceived they had been deceived, and in neither letter did they give their State, rendering it utterly impossible to reach them, and rendering my position very unpleasant. Persons who otherwise write an excellent hand often have a fanciful way of writing their names, that renders it next to impossible to decipher them. A moment's consideration will show that of all words we write, our name, in a business point of view, should be written *most distinctly*, as this stands independent, and we have no aid in deciphering it, as in the case of other words, from the connection in which it stands. Many parcels miscarry from this cause.

THE PRICES OF SEED. I have endeavored to make my rates as low as those of any other reliable dealer. The exceeding wetness of last Summer and the great cost of imported varieties still keeps prices of some varieties at a high figure. This is particularly true of Lettuce Seed and Beans.

If my friends have found my seed reliable please make the fact known among your neighbors and show them this circular, or give me their address, and I shall be happy to forward them seed gratis. Should you receive more than one please send them to me. Cash must accompany all orders.

Please note that I pay postage on all seed ordered to be sent by mail, and paid for at mail rates. I do not pay express charges. My customers will usually find it much cheaper to order through the mail than to order sent by express, (cases where seed is quite heavy excepted,) as the expense by express is usually much greater.

JAMES J. H. GREGORY, Marblehead, Massachusetts.

January, 1867.

	Price Sent by Mail.	Price Sent by Express.	Price per Package.
ASPARAGUS			
Giant Dutch Purple Top. One of the largest and best	per oz 12	per oz 10	6
BEAN. Dwarf or Bush.			
Feege. (See Circular.)	quart 70	quart 45	15
Early Round Yellow Six Weeks. Very early and productive	55	30	10
Early Long Yellow, Six Weeks. do do	55	30	10
Early Mohawk. Very hardy, early and productive	package only		10
Early China. "Red Eye." An old popular variety	55	30	10
Early Valentine. Pod long and tender—excellent: standard Bean in Middle States.	62	37	10
Dun Cranberry. One of the very best for stringing; always in order, yields first rate.	62	37	10
Intermediate Horticultural. (See Circular.)			15
Pole or Running Varieties.			
Horticultural, or Wren's Egg. Productive—excellent string or shell	65	40	10
Red Cranberry. An old, popular string bean	65	40	10
Sieva, or Carolina. Of a rich, buttery flavor—great bearer, late	95	70	12
Large Lima. Surpasses all in quality; late	95	70	12
Scarlet Runners. Blossoms of a rich scarlet—great grower and bearer	85	60	12
White Dutch Runners. Differs from Scarlet in color; popular for baking	70	50	10
Indian Chief. Always in order for stringing; pods almost transparent	75	50	10
Mottled Cranberry. Early, very productive; good either for string or shell; preferred where known to common cranberry.	75	50	10
Yard Long. (See Circular.)			15
Jet Cranberry. (See Circular.)			15
Corn Bean. Prolific, of average size of beans; these beans so nearly resemble kernels of corn as to be often mistaken for them. Per package.			15
White Pole Cranberry. Highly esteemed as a shell bean for cooking, either green or dry.	75	50	10
California Bean. (See Circular.)			15
Rhode Island Butter. As a green shell bean this is one of the very best, nearly equal in quality to the Sieva or Lima. Per quart.	75	50	10
Concord. (See Circular.)			15
ENGLISH BEANS. Broad Windsor. Large and excellent.	65	40	10
Scarlet Flowering, for canning and ornamental			15
BEET.			
Extra Flat Early. (See Circular.)			15
Dark Red Castelnauary. (See Circular.)			15
Crapaudine. (See Circular.)			15
Whyte. Very Deep Blood Red. (See Circular.)			15
Early Red Bassano. The earliest variety; tender, fleshed	14	12	6
Early Blood Turnip. The standard early sort; good for summer or winter	14	12	6
Long Smooth Dark Blood. Excellent for winter use; dark, smooth skinned; flesh dark red.	14	12	6
Giant Ovoid Mangold Wurtzel. (See Circular.)			15
Yellow Ovoid Burres Mangold Wurtzel. (See Circular.)			15
Long Large Red Mangold Wurtzel. A favorite root for milch cows	12	10	6
White Sugar. A large root for stock	12	10	6
Yellow Globe Mangold Wurtzel. Excellent for milch cows; early	12	10	6
Simon's Early. (See Circular.)			15
BORAGE. Planted for bees—it flowers most abundantly throughout the season.	39	37	10
BRUSSELS SPROUTS. Improved, extra fine	87	35	10
BROCCOLI.			
Welchorn White. One of the very best varieties of cauliflower	77	75	10
New English sorts			15
CABBAGE.			
Early York. The Earliest of all; an old standard sort	20	18	6
Large York. An improvement in size on Early York; a little later	25	23	6
Early Wakefield. Resembles Oxheart. A standard early cabbage in Boston Market	37	35	10
Early Winnigstadt. Heads large, cone shaped and solid; one of the very best	52	50	10
Burnell's King of the Dwarfs. (See Circular.)			15
Little Pixie. (See Circular.)			15
Sugar Loaf. A popular early variety	32	30	10
Early Oxheart. Excellent early variety.	32	30	10
Large Oxheart. This is very popular as an early cabbage with Boston marketmen.	42	40	10
St. John's Day Early. A very early half Drumhead variety.	32	28	10
Large Brunswick, short stemmed. (See Circular.)			15
Stone-Mason Drumhead. (See Circular.)	52	50	10
Cannon Ball. (See Circular.)			25
Premium Flat Dutch. Large and excellent for winter	52	50	10
Sweinfurt Quintal. A large early Drumhead which promises to become quite popular.	47	45	10
Improved Green Globe Savoy. Very tender—much esteemed (true)	42	40	15
Drumhead Savoy. A cross between Savoy and Drumhead—very large	32	30	10
Pancalier Savoy. (See Circular.)			15
Early Ulm Savoy. (See Circular.)			15
Red Dutch. For pickling	32	30	10
Red Drumhead. Larger than Red Dutch and more profitable	42	40	10
CARROT.			
Early Scarlet Horn. Short; early; excellent for the table	22	20	6
Short Horn. Sweeter than Long Orange and more solid	17	15	6
Long Orange. The standard field carrot; best of all for stock	17	15	6
Large Altringham. Deep red, very fine; grows a little above ground	17	15	6
Large White Belgian. Large, white and productive.	17	15	6
CAULIFLOWER.			
Very Early Dwarf Erfurt. (See Circular.)			25
Extra Early Paris. The earliest sort; size small	127	125	25
Half Early Paris. Very popular; fine heads—excellent variety	102	100	25
Levegrand's Mammoth. The Largest variety in cultivation, and most reliable of all			25
Waite's New Alma. New; a great favorite with many; large size	127	125	25
CHICKORY. Large Coffee Rooted. Used as a substitute for Coffee.	22	20	10
CELERY.			
White Solid. A standard sort	27	25	6
Dwarf White Solid. Self Blanching	32	30	10
Purple Giant Solid. A fine variety of red celery	27	25	6
Boston Market. Short, compact and solid—very popular. (See Circular.)			15
Turnip Rooted. The root of this is eaten.	27	25	6
Turner's Incomparable. (See Circular.)			15
Read's Matchless. (See Circular.)			15
Hood's New Dwarf purple. (See Circular.)			15
CHEVIL. Curled or Double.	20	18	6

	Price Sent by Mail.	Price Sent by Express.	Price per Package.
CORN.			
Forty Days. (See Circular.)			package only
Crosby's New Early Sweet. (See Circular.)			15
Bates' Extra Early Sweet. A small variety for table use; the earliest sweet corn.			15
Stowell's Evergreen Sweet. Excellent; keeps green till cold weather	45	30	10
Darling's Early Sweet. A standard early variety.	45	30	10
Nonpareil, or Pop Corn. The popular variety for parching.	45	30	10
Mammoth Flint Corn. (See Circular.)			package only
Mammoth Sweet. (See Circular.)			25
Mexican Sweet Corn. (See Circular.)			15
Golden Sweet Corn. (See Circular.)			15
Egyptian Pop Corn. This is tenderer when popped than the common variety	45	30	10
Dwarf Broom Corn. New; makes a better brush than the tall broom	65	50	15
Large Sweet. Very large, late, very tender and sweet	45	30	10
Large Red Cob Sweet. Very superior, coming in after the early varieties—of large size, tender and sweet	45	30	10
CORN SALAD.	12	10	6
CRESS			
Common Cress (Peppergrass.)	per oz 12	per oz 10	6
Henderson's Australia. New, superior	17	15	6
Curled. The best sort	12	10	6
CUMBER.			
Norbiton's Giant. (See Circular.)			25
Early Russian. The earliest of all varieties; grows about four inches long	22	20	10
Early Cluster. Bears mostly in clusters; very early and productive.	17	15	6
White Spined. Great bearer; excellent for table use or pickling—standard in Boston market.	17	15	6
Long Green. A standard sort.	17	15	6
French Gherkin. A short pickling variety	32	30	6
Improved Long Green Pickling. Excellent variety; makes a hard, brittle pickle	32	30	15
West India Gherkin. A very small, elegant sort, for pickles only	42	40	10
Long Green Turkey. Fine; grows eight to ten inches in length.	32	30	15
New Jersey Hybrid. Perhaps the largest of all varieties.	30	28	15
Eight Varieties, mixed	27	25	6
Boston Pickling. A long variety; the standard for pickling in Boston market.	27	25	10
Short Pickling. Raised by the acre in Western Mass., for pickling; very productive	27	25	10
EGG PLANT.			
Early Long Purple. The earliest and most productive variety	52	50	15
New York Improved Round Purple. A new, large, excellent variety	87	85	15
New Scarlet. (See Circular.)			15
Striped Guadalupe. (See Circular.)			25
ENDIVE.			
Very Fine Moss Curled	32	30	6
KALE, or BORICOLE.			
Four elegant varieties for ornament or the table. (See Circular.)			25
Dwarf Green Curled, or German Greens. Very hardy	27	25	10
KOHL RABI OR TURNIP CABBAGE.			
White, above ground	27	25	6
Large Purple. Very Large, hardy and productive—for stock	27	25	6
LEEK.			
Broad Scotch, or Flag. A large and strong plant	32	30	10
Very Large Rouen. A new French variety	47	45	10
LETTUCE.			
Frankfort Head. A fine summer variety	27	25	6
Perpignan Lettuce. (See Circular.)			15
Wheeler's Tom Thumb. See Circular.)			package only
Large Green Cabbage. Excellent	32	30	10
Spotted Cabbage	32	30	10
Royal Cabbage Lettuce. Morris' Improved	32	30	6
Versailles Cabbage. Large, white, crisp, and very hardy—one of the very best.	32	30	6
French Imperial Cabbage; very reliable	32	30	6
True Boston Curled. Very elegant in growth, quality good			package only
Tennis Ball. Very hardy; excellent for early crops; a favorite in Boston market.	32	30	15
Early Curled Silesia. Very early; excellent for salads—a popular variety	27	25	6
White Paris Cos. Best of all the Cos varieties	32	30	10
Drumhead. Very large; heads crisp and tender	32	30	6
Early Butter Head. A most excellent, early sort—a great favorite	32	30	6
MARTYNIA. For Pickles	32	30	6
MELON. Musk Varieties.			
Long Persian. Large and excellent			package only
Skillman's Fine Netted. Green fleshed, highly scented	17	15	6
Nutmeg. Green fleshed, highly scented	17	15	6
Long Yellow Musk. Large, sweet, productive; a well known sort.	17	15	6
Netted Citron. Green flesh; rich, sweet, melting, and rich flavored	17	15	6
Ward's Nectar. (See Circular.)			25
Early Jenny Lind	17	15	6
New White Japan. Very sweet; best of all	52	50	15
Watermelon			
Mountain Sweet. New; solid, watery, sweet and delicious—one of the best	15	12	6
Mountain Sprout (new). Long, striped, scarlet flesh; one of the very best	17	15	6
Citron. For preserves; very hardy and productive.	17	15	6
Goodwin's Imperial. Always solid, scarlet-fleshed, sugary, most excellent	32	30	10
Orange. New; round—when ripe peels like an orange; red flesh	37	35	15
Black Spanish. Large, deep red flesh, very fine; a thin rind; flavor excellent	17	15	6
Apple Pie. Used in pies as a substitute for apples	32	30	6
MUSTARD. White or Yellow. For Salad or Medicinal purposes	12	10	6
NASTURTIUM. The flowers and young leaves for salad; seed for pickling.			
Tall. An ornamental climber	per oz 27	per oz 25	6
Dwarf.	32	30	10
OKRA. Early Dwarf. Small, green, and round; pods smooth.	17	15	6
ONION.			
Early Cracker Onion. Earliest of Yellow sorts; quality superior	42	40	15
White Portugal. Mild flavored, not a good keeper; best for summer	32	30	6
Large Red Weathersfield. Pleasant flavored, grows very large, keeps well	22	20	6
Large Yellow. Flat, excellent flavored, good keeper	22	20	6

Two Choice Varieties of Peas.

I want every gardener to try the McLEAN'S ADVANCER, and my variety of EXTRA EARLY DAN O'ROURKE PEA. Every gardener of experience is well aware that there are several varieties of peas in the market, sold as Early Dan O'Rourke. Now, other things being equal, it is the earliest pea that pays the best, and I claim that my variety of Dan O'Rourke is the Earliest, most dwarf, most prolific and largest podded of any variety in the market. For the past two years I have tested them side by side, with other varieties of Early Dan O'Rourke—some of the early Philadelphia Peas—and Dilliston's Extra Early, (which latter, though imported, did not come up to the promise of the English Seedsmen, proving no earlier than the common varieties of Dan O'Rourke, and the Philadelphia Early Peas,) and found it excellent in all three qualities of earliness, dwarf habit and productiveness, yielding more than double the crop of one variety,—all very essential things for those who plant for an early market. Packages containing two ounces, sent by mail for 15 cents. Quart packages, prepaid by me, sent by mail for 75 cents. If sent by express, in paper, 50 cents. One bushel by express including box, \$10. Test them fairly and write me the result.

The Champion of England has thus far been our standard of excellence as a late family pea, but in the new Pea—the McLEAN'S ADVANCER—we have all the tenderness and delicious sweetness of the Champion of England, with a marked superiority in two important particulars. It grows but about two-thirds as high, and is ready for the table full a fortnight earlier. As a cropper I find it

fully equal to the Champion. The pea has the same wrinkled appearance when ripened, and placed side by side cannot be distinguished. Small packages sent postpaid for 15 cents. Quart packages by mail, postpaid, \$1 15, or by express, in paper, 90 cents. One bushel by express \$13, including cost of box.

My BROWN'S EARLY DWARF MARROWFAT PEA, will be found to be the earliest and most dwarf of all marrowfats, and I regret that my supply is so limited that I can send it out by the package only this season.

Large Orders from Clubs and Individuals.

Persons sending orders to the amount of ten dollars and upwards are at liberty to order *packages* one-tenth greater than the amount they inclose would pay for at catalogue rates; and *pound* lots one-fifteenth greater than the amount they inclose would pay for at catalogue rates.

Seeds on Commission.

I think the idea of profit, either to the producer or consumer, by this method is pretty thoroughly exploded. The annual per centage of loss, from the packets which remain unsold, is too great to enable the producer to replace doubtful packages with new and reliable seed, and make a paying business of it. A few of the varieties on the list, I am able to supply at wholesale. Dealers wishing seed to sell by the package, ounce, pound, or bushel will be furnished with wholesale quotations upon application.

FLOWER SEED.

Catalogue containing an immense variety of Flower Seed sent gratis to any address.

RARE, NOVEL, OR VERY DESIRABLE.

Among the New, Rare, or Desirable Vegetables, I would call particular attention to the following:

While most of the following vegetables will be found to be of universal value, others may vary in quality with the soil and locality.

MARBLEHEAD MAMMOTH CABBAGE. (25 cts. per package—5 packages, \$1.00.) For a description please look above.

CANNON BALL CABBAGE. (25 cts. a package.) I have a limited supply of this fine cabbage this season. It is early, coming in with the Winnigstadt, and is the hardest heading of all cabbages, being about as round and hard as a cannon ball—whence its name. It requires high culture.

STONE-MASON. (25 cts. per ½ oz., 10 cts. per package.) This is the standard cabbage in the markets of Boston—it originated in Marblehead. The heads are very hard. It is remarkably sweet and tender, and under good cultivation every plant will head.

IMPROVED GREEN GLOBE SAVOY CABBAGE. (15 cts. per package.) Let those who have discarded the Savoy, try this. It is as reliable for heading as my Stone-Mason Cabbage; the heads are large, hard, and of most excellent quality; the stems short. For family use these Savoy are the best variety, as they excel in sweetness and marrow-like tenderness.

EARLY PANCALIER SAVOY. (15 cts. per package.) This is considered by the French gardeners to be the earliest of all cabbages.

EARLY ULM SAVOY. 15 cts. per package.) A fine little Savoy—very early and very sweet and tender.

BURNELL'S KING OF THE DWARF. (25 cts. a package.) This new English Cabbage is sent out this season by the great English seed firm of Waite, Burnell & Co., as the earliest of all Cabbages, of very fine and sweet flavor.

LARGE BRUNSWICK SHORT STEMMED CABBAGE. (15 cts. per pkg.) This is a large flat heading drumhead, the largest of all the early Drumheads, and hence a great favorite with market gardeners.

LITTLE PIXIE CABBAGE. (15 cts. per package.) A small, very tender and sweet cabbage, of the pointed heading family. It is very early and from its small size a great number can be matured on a small area of land.

LENORMAND'S MAMMOTH CAULIFLOWER. (25 cts. per package; 5 for \$1.00.) This is, doubtless, the very largest of all the Cauliflower family, and has proved itself the most reliable. The seed is very scarce and high.

NEW YORK IMPROVED EXTRA LARGE PURPLE EGG PLANT. (25 cts. per package.) This new variety will be found to be larger and of a deeper purple—the common large-purple.

STRIPED GUADALOUPE EGG PLANT. (25 cts. per package.) This grows to the size, and is about the same shape as Early Long Purple. The markings of white, red and yellow, give it a magnificent appearance; good for the table.

CHINESE SCARLET EGG PLANT. (15 cts. per package.) Of a magnificent scarlet color; highly ornamental.

ORNAMENTAL KALE. (25 cts. a package.) These for their great variety in color of foliage or the elegant structure of the leaves, with the beautiful symmetry of the plants, are elegant ornaments scattered in the flower garden and among shrubbery.

MAMMOTH SWEET CORN. (25 cts. per package.) My mammoth took the first prize at the Annual Exhibition of the Mass. Horticultural Society in 1864; the ears exhibited weighing, as gathered from the stock, between two and three pounds each. This is a very sweet corn for family use.

FORTY DAYS CORN. (15 cts. per package.) This is earlier than our standard early corn, and as it is good for table use, will be found very desirable as an early sort. It was called "Forty Days," I presume, because it silks in about 40 days from time of planting.

BATES EXTRA EARLY SWEET CORN. (15 cts. a package.) This new variety is a wrinkled kenneled, sugar corn, earlier than Darling's and excellent for table use.

MAMMOTH FLINT CORN. (15 cts. per package.) The ears of this variety grow to sixteen inches in length; the stalks are proportionally tall. It matures in Central New England.

CROSBY'S EARLY TWELVE ROWED. (15 cts. a package.) This is a decided acquisition. It is the earliest twelve rowed sweet corn I have yet found. Quality excellent; size good for early marketing. Market gardeners should try this.

MEXICAN SWEET CORN. (15 cts. per package of seed sufficient for 25 hills.) I send this out after a thorough trial of several years and a rigid comparison with all standard sorts, as the sweetest and tenderest of all varieties of sweet or sugar corn.

GOLDEN SWEET CORN. (15 cts. per package.) This is an early Sweet Corn of good size, bright golden color, excellent quality for table use. The flavor is rich and peculiar, like no other variety of Sweet Corn.

DWARF BROOM CORN. (15 cts. per package.) This is now very popular; it is thought to make a better brush than the common tall sorts.

MAMMOTH FRENCH SQUASH. (per package 25 cts.—5 for \$1.00.) I have seen one of these squashes, weighing 260 pounds. They are not only enormously large in size, but quite well proportioned, being usually rather flat in shape and often times of a rich orange color, finely netted like a melon, presenting a fine appearance.

TURBAN SQUASH. (15 cts. per package of about fifty seed.) The dryest, sweetest, finest grained of all fall squashes. See remarks above.

HUBBARD SQUASH. (15 cts. per package.) I was the introducer of this fine squash. My seed will be found to be very pure. See remarks above.

YOKOHAMA SQUASH. (15 cts. per package of 15 seed.) For particulars see above.

BOSTON MARROW—EXTRA PURE. (15 cts. per package.) I consider my Boston Marrow to be the purest variety of Marrow Squash to be found in the United States. It took the first premium at the late Annual Fair of the Massachusetts Horticultural Society, for purity.

PARA OR POLK SQUASH. (15 cts. per package.) A bush variety for Fall or Winter use, resembling a rich Crookneck in quality; very productive. My seed stock came directly from Para, and is perfectly pure.

VEGETABLE CATERPILLARS. (Varieties mixed, 25 cts. per package.) The seed vessels of these curious plants, closely resemble the natural animal, and are used as oddities for garnishing dishes.

VEGETABLE SNAILS. (25 cts. a package.) This is another curious vegetable product.

VEGETABLE WORM. (25 cts. a package.) The seed pods resemble the living animal.

SNAKE CUCUMBER. (25 cts. a package.) A very long variety of Cucumber, sometimes growing coiled up, having much the appearance of a large snake.

NORBITON'S GIANT CUCUMBER (25 cts. per package.) This is one of the Frame varieties, sent out by the English seedsmen as "the finest, longest and most prolific cucumber cultivated." I put ten seed in a package. I imported my seed at a cost of ten dollars an ounce.

NEW JERSEY HYBRID CUCUMBER. (15 cents per package.) This is a remarkably long variety, large and excellent—an enlarged variety of the White Spine.

IMPROVED LONG GREEN CUCUMBER. (15 cents a package.) This is the largest of the Long Green varieties; very long and very handsome.

LAXTON'S PEA. (25 cts. per package.) This new pea is sent to us from the great English seed firm of Carter & Co., as a first class variety, having the longest and finest pods of any yet sent out, many containing eleven and twelve peas.

McLEANS' ADVANCER. (15 cts. a package.) A New English Pea; dwarf in growth, wrinkled like the Champion of England, is equally sweet and equally productive as that famous pea, while it excels it in the two important particulars of growing but two thirds as high, and being a fortnight earlier.

McLEAN'S LITTLE GEM. (15 cts. per package.) A new dwarf wrinkled pea, growing one foot in height, very early, about as dwarf and early as Tom Thumb, but much sweeter. A great acquisition for family use.

VILMORIN'S NEW WRINKLED EGG-PODDED PEA. (25 cts. per package.) This is the first wrinkled sort yet found, the pods of which can be eaten.

CARTER'S FIRST CROP. (15 cts. a package.) This new English Pea (England is the country of new peas) is sent out as the earliest of all varieties. Very prolific.

HAIR'S DWARF MAMMOTH. (15 cts. a package.) This is a new wrinkled pea, larger than the Champion of England, while it grows to about one half the height; very tender and sweet.

TOM THUMB PEA. (15 cts. per package.) This is somewhat known; it grows about ten inches high, and is remarkably prolific. An excellent kind for garden, as it is very early, occupies but little room, and makes very large returns. Pods large and well filled. Very profitable for market.

DREW'S NEW DWARF PEA. (15 cts. per package.) New, very dwarf, very prolific. Pea very large, egg shaped—each plant forms quite a bush, but one pea being required to about a foot of row.

BROWN'S NEW DWARF MARROWFAT. (15 cts. per package.) A new variety which may be relied upon as both the earliest and most dwarf Marrowfat grown.

DWARF INDIAN CHIEF BEAN. (15 cts. a package.) Those who tried the variety of wax bean known as the Indian Chief, will be pleased to learn that a bush variety has been introduced. The wax beans are the best of all string beans.

NEW CASEKNIFE BEAN. (15 cts. a package.) This new variety grows half as long again as the old fashioned caseknife.

YARD LONG BEAN. (15 cts. a package.) A curious bean of very dark and glossy foliage; the pods grow two feet and upwards in length.

CONCORD BEAN. (15 cts. a package.) This new pole bean is the most elegant of all beans. It is probably the earliest pole bean grown. It takes exceedingly well to the poles, is healthy and very prolific; excellent either as string or shell, resembling the Horticultural, to which it is related, though it takes better to the poles than that variety.

PEGEE BEAN; or, "White's New Early." (15 cents per package.) This is a new bush variety, and is the earliest and hardiest bean grown; it is of good size, prolific, of good quality, and worthy of general cultivation.

INTERMEDIATE HORTICULTURAL BEAN. (15 cents a package.) An excellent Bush Bean for market men. The beans are of the shape and color of the Pole Horticultural, while the pods are of the same rich color, and equally good for all purposes.

CALIFORNIA BEAN. (15 cents a package.) A large, flat, yellow bean, quite early, very productive. Nearly as large as Dutch Runner. Mr. Burr ranks this next to the Lima in quality.

MOTTLED CRANBERRY BEAN. (15 cents a package.) This bean is a decided acquisition. It is full as early as the old fashioned Cranberry or TORY BEAN, is far more productive, and the pods grow to a larger size. A fine bean for market gardeners.

JET CRANBERRY BEAN. (15 cents a package.) An improvement for health, vigor and productiveness, on the old fashioned Cranberry or TORY BEAN.

WARD'S NECTAR. (25 cents a package.) A friend, an amateur, after having thoroughly tested for many years, over twenty varieties of green-fleshed melons, pronounces this as by far preferable to all others—being exceedingly sweet, rich and delicious. It is exceedingly prolific.

ORANGE WATERMELON. (15 cents a package.) When fully ripe the skin will peel off like an orange.

PERSIAN MUSK MELON. (15 cents a package.) A fine, large, long variety.

TILDEN'S NEW SEEDLING TOMATO. (25 cents a package.) Large, round or oblong in shape, of a rich scarlet color, very thick through, remarkably productive, yielding from 600 to 800 bushels to the acre. Quality excellent.

EXTRA EARLY YORK TOMATO. (15 cents a package.) This is a very early and productive sort, of good market size, and of a flat, round shape. It has the curled leaf, characteristic of a very early kind. It yielded the past season at the rate of 1050 bushels to the acre. No tomato has on the whole given me as much satisfaction as this.

THE COOK'S FAVORITE TOMATO. (15 cts. a package.) New, early, apple shaped, prolific, and of excellent quality, decidedly the best of the apple tomatoes.

MAMMOTH CHIHUAHUA TOMATO. (15 cents a package.) This Tomato sometimes weighs 2 and 3 pounds. Quality excellent. One tomato has heaped a quart measure. In wet season the fruit is apt to rot when it touches the ground.

NEW MEXICAN TOMATO. (15 cents a package.) A very large round Tomato, resembling Lester's perfected, but has the advantage of being uniformly round and smooth. Very productive.

SIMON'S EARLY BEET. (15 cents per package.) This is a very early variety, size of common Turnip Beet, somewhat flat in shape, growing very smooth and of excellent quality. It is about as early as Early Bassano, but of a deeper red.

NEW TURNIP BEET. (15 cts. per package.) Remarkably flat, very early, and very nice.

CASTELNAUDARY BEET. (15 cts. per package.) A famous French variety, which they claim has a rich nut-like flavor. Flesh deep purple, very tender and sweet, superior to Turnip Beet.

CRAPAUDINE BEET. (15 cts. a package.) A peculiar variety, having a rough, thick skin, seamed like the bark of a tree—color very dark purple. Quality first rate—ranked by the French as best of all for table use.

WHITES VERY DEEP RED BEET. (15 cts. a package.) This new English Beet is of medium size, dark color, very sweet.

YELLOW OVOID MANGOLD WURTZEL. (15 cts. per package.) For Cattle. Of seventeen varieties tested, the crop of this excelled all others.

STRIPED LEAVED JAPANESE MAIZE. (15 cts. per package.) This new contribution from Japan, grows to the height of from five to six feet, and has its foliage which is from two to three inches wide, beautifully striped with alternate stripes of green and white, and in its earlier stages of growth with rose color.

EARLY CRACKER ONION. (15 cts. a package.) This is the earliest of all the yellow sorts. Quality very tender and sweet. For full description see my treatise on Onion Raising, page 13.

HOOD'S NEW DWARF IMPERIAL PURPLE CELERY. (15 cents per package.) A choice new variety.

TURNER'S INCOMPARABLE DWARF WHITE CELERY. (15 cents per package.) Quite dwarf and very solid. A favorite English variety.

READ'S MATCHLESS CELERY. (15 cents a package.) A fine, new solid red English variety.

BOSTON MARKET CELERY. (15 cents per package.) This is the short, bushy, compact, solid celery, for which Boston Market is so famous.

TRUE BOSTON CURLED LETTUCE. (15 cts. per package.) Of good quality, and the most elegant of all the Lettuce family in its habit of growth. It has the form of a rosette; very popular.

WHEELER'S TOM THUMB LETTUCE. (15 cts. per package.) A new English variety of great reputation.

PERFECT LETTUCE. (15 cts. per package.) A remarkably reliable Lettuce for heading in Summer—some of my heads measured seven inches across and were quite compact.

ORNAMENTAL GOURDS. (15 cts. per package.) The package contains seed of Apple, Orange, Pear, Quince, Bottle, Egg, and other varieties. Peculiar, attractive, and ornamental. I add seed of the Dipper gourd to each package this season.

MAMMOTH MILLET. (15 cts. per package.) Extra tall, seed heads much larger than those of any other variety.

SURRY WHITE WHEAT. (15 cts. per package.) A new English sort, highly recommended for poor and elevated soils, it having been perfectly free from blight and rust where numerous other varieties were affected. It yielded 15 per cent. more.

OTAHETIAN SUGAR CANE. (15 cts. per package.) By some this is preferred to all other varieties for cultivation in the North.

EARLY SEBEC POTATO. (\$1 00 per package of 4 lbs.) New; has all the good characteristics of the excellent Jackson White, but is ready for market full ten days earlier; a decided acquisition; white fleshed.

EARLY GOODRICH POTATO. (\$1 00 per package of four pounds.) This variety is remarkable for earliness and productiveness. White fleshed.

SHAKER'S FANCY. (\$1 00 per package of four pounds.) A new potato very popular, very productive, of excellent quality. Quite popular in Pennsylvania. About as early as Early Goodrich: white fleshed.

COLEBROOK SEEDLING POTATO. (75 cents per package of 4 lbs., postage paid by me.) This new variety is very productive, of excellent quality and growing in popularity as a first class winter potato.

GLEASON POTATO. (75 cts per package of 4 lbs., postage paid by me.) This is another of Mr. Goodrich's new Seedlings, valued very highly as a winter potato. It crops very abundantly, is of good size and quality.

CHILI GARNET. (75 cts. per package of four pounds, postage paid by me.) One of Mr. Goodrich's new Seedlings, considered one of the best for winter and spring use. Enormously productive, of large size, white fleshed and very popular for winter and spring use.

MAMMOTH RUSSIAN SUNFLOWER. (15 cts. per package.) The seed of this new variety are two or three times as large as any other variety. Very valuable for poultry or vegetable oil.